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CITY LETTER DISSERTATION

Insurance Conventions for
Portland Next Year.

SWIFT & CO. BEGIN BUILDING

Four Hundred Thousand Feet
of Lumber Brought During
Past Week.

Anticipation fell short on the actual attendance and success of the Oregon Good Roads Conference held at the Portland Commercial Club on the 12th. From every corner of the state came men having the vital interests of Oregon at heart. It was decided to immediately undertake the raising of \$10,000 for an intensely active campaign. Judge Lionel R. Webster of Multnomah county, and Judge John H. Scott, of Marion county, will lead in this work, devoting their entire time to it.

A convention of national scope for Oregon next year is the welcome news that comes back from Des Moines, Iowa, where the American Association of Mutual Insurance Companies has been assembled. This means between 400 and 600 delegates, the majority of whom have never visited the coast, since the association has never held a western meeting.

Rain was never more grateful to Oregonians than the showers of last Wednesday and Thursday, and messages from practically the whole state join in the thanksgiving. The danger from forest fires in the wooded sections has been greatly reduced as a result.

Four hundred thousand feet of lumber were brought by Swift & Co. this past week for use on their town site near the plant now being built. Twenty-five dwellings will be started immediately, some quite pretentious for the officers of the company. Hundreds of smaller homes will go up as rapidly as practicable.

Numerous meetings of the committee in charge of entertaining the Oregon athletes soon to return from London bearing their world records from the Olympic games, have resulted in a decision to send the sporting editor of the three Portland dailies East to meet the athletes and escort them to the coast. Many unique features will be introduced in the parade and reception given here—date will be early in September.

Hon. C. J. Blanchard, of the U. S. Reclamation Service, is in Oregon and will spend thirty days inspecting the various government irrigation projects. He reports such a mass of inquiry at his home office that the clerks are scarcely able to answer intending colonists.

Poultry is to have its due recognition at the live stock show in September. Over \$500 in prizes is offered and the interest may be judged from the fact that already one thousand entries are booked. Poultry means about \$5,000,000 to Oregon annually.

Eagle Valley, in Baker county is planning a "Harvest Home Picnic" for the 3rd and 4th of September. The whole county will join in the holiday and the very name of the event guarantees enjoyment.

Secretary W. L. Crissey, of the Oregon State Dairy Association has been advised that Hon. Ed H. Webster, Chief of Dairy Division, U. S. Department of Agriculture, is contemplating a trip to the Pacific Northwest to participate in the convention of the Oregon Association December 10 and 11th.

Why James Lee Got Well.

Everybody in Zanesville, O., knows Mrs. Mary Lee, of rural route 8. She writes: "My husband, James Lee, firmly believes he owes his life to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery. His lungs were so severely affected that consumption seemed inevitable, when a friend

recommended New Discovery. We tried it, and its use has restored him to perfect health." Dr. King's New Discovery is the King of throat and lung remedies. For coughs and colds it has no equal. The first dose gives relief. Try it! Sold under guarantee at all druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Court House Notes.

PROBATE.
Guardianship of D. F. Boyer heirs—bond filed and approved.
Estate of Nancy E. Moore, deceased—sale of real property confirmed.
Guardianship of Henry D. Moore, a minor—sale of real estate confirmed.
Estate of H. T. Baughman, deceased—petition for letters granted; bond in sum of \$500.
Estate of T. M. Bailey, deceased—petition for final hearing filed; set for hearing Friday, September 18 at 10 o'clock a. m.

REAL ESTATE.

B. F. Mulkey et ux to F. D. Snyder lots in Buena Vista, \$50.
United States to heirs of Samuel Hall et ux, 240 acres, t 7 s, r 4 w, patent.
United States to Chauncey C. Cram, et ux, 160 acres, t 7 s, r 4 w, patent.
Jacob Rentler to Sophia J. and Gus W. Plummer, 30 acres, t 7 s, r 3 w, \$1800.
J. M. Sears et ux to J. E. Ritcher, lots in Dallas, \$1600.
Southern Pacific Company to G. W. Cone et al, 80 acres, t 8 s, r 7 w, \$3,270.

How to Avoid Appendicitis.

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or griped and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Dove & Williams.

117 BUSHELS TO THE ACRE

C. Lorence threshed a small field of Shadland Challenge oats for James T. Huntley, that yielded 117 bushels per acre. These oats were grown on land that had been run to clover, proving beyond a doubt that Polk county soil is all right if properly handled. This grain was sowed on the 20th day of April and stood six feet in height when ready for the reaper.

Mr. Lorence is getting a good run with his thresher in this vicinity. He is running ten bundle wagons and seven pitchers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hooper were in this vicinity one day last week.

Theodore Becker, a druggist of Castle Rock, Wash., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Becker, for the past two weeks, has returned to his home.

Miss Leota Foster of Monmouth and Mr. Ben Dunn of Salem are visiting this week at the home of John Young.

Oliver Webster is at Everett, Wash., on business and pleasure combined.

Holcomb & Wilson's hay baler is having a good run in this neighborhood, there being ten or twelve days work still before them.

Cured Hay Fever and Summer Cold.

A. S. Nusbaum, Batesville, Indiana, writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever, and a doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed only to aggravate it. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with the same success." Dove and Williams.

For Sore Feet.

"I have found Bucklen's Arnica Salve to be the proper thing to use for sore feet, as well as for healing burns, sores, cuts, and all manner of abrasions," writes Mr. W. Stone, of East Poland, Maine. It is the proper thing too for piles. Try it! Sold under guarantee at all druggists. 25c.

FOUR WEEKS UNTIL FAIR

Oregon Fair Greatest Factor
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LARGE CASH PREMIUM LIST

Oregonian's Should Unite to
Make This Grandest of all
State Fairs.

The state Fair of Oregon, for 1908, will be held at Salem during the week beginning September 14. The Oregon fair is the leading agricultural exposition on the Pacific Coast; that is acknowledged by all other states. Special efforts have been put forth by the management to make the coming fair the greatest in the history of the organization. Extended classifications of livestock, increased premiums and additional conveniences for exhibitors in all departments will assure unsurpassed displays which should be seen by great crowds of people every day during the week. The progressive farmers and stock growers of the Pacific Northwest have expended considerable time and money during the past year in the betterment of their herds and flocks, and many of them having signified their intentions to show their best animals at the fair next month.

Frank A. Welch, secretary of the fair board, has received information which indicates that there will be ten or more counties to participate in what is known at the "county exhibits" contest for the cash premiums aggregating \$1300 divided into eight premiums, the first being \$300, second, \$250, and third, \$200, fourth \$150, and the remainder \$100 each. This exhibit must contain agricultural products, and any other articles that will show up the resources of the state. The counties thus far expected to participate are Clatsop, Columbia, Clackamas, Multnomah, Marion, Yamhill, Linn, Lane, Benton, Douglas, and Josephine—these being in the western part of the state; and it is believed that one or two counties of the eastern portion will enter the contest, which would add considerable interest to the great feature, which in the past has been the admiration of thousands of people. These exhibits will be made in the main pavilion, which is large and commodious and nicely arranged in every respect. Besides the county displays, the Oregon Agricultural College will be represented by specimens of work done by its students and faculty in the past, the superintendent having sent in notice for increased space in the building. There will also be special farm exhibits, and the horticultural department is going to be full to overflowing.

The racing department will be far better than in the past; and that means a great deal, as the best races in the Pacific Northwest have taken place on the Oregon State Fair track. The grand stand has been remodelled and its capacity increased to nearly double. There will be no liquor establishments permitted on the grounds this year, and pool selling has been made a thing of the past. Numerous improvements about the race course have been made which will lend an attractiveness to the speed contests and will be highly appreciated by the spectators which will be numbered by many thousands this year. A high class of harness horses will be at the fair in an effort to pull down the rich purses offered and between heats there will be some specialties to amuse the crowds.

It is the duty of all Oregonians to patronize the fair, as it is an agricultural exposition in every sense of the word. The sum of \$10,000 appropriated by the legislature for premiums on livestock and agricultural manufactured products, is widely distributed

and does much toward assisting in the development of the agricultural resources of the state and upper Pacific coast.

A Faithful Friend.

"I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since it was first introduced to the public in 1872, and have never found one instance where a cure was not speedily effected by its use. I have been a commercial traveler for eighteen years, and never start out on a trip without this, my faithful friend," says H. S. Nichols of Oakland, Ind. Ter. When a man has used a remedy for thirty-five years he knows its value and is competent to speak of it. For sale by P. M. Kirkland.

Good For Mr. Tillery.

M. Tillery, who came to Corvallis from Independence two months ago, purchased the grocery store of Bridwell & Craven, and will continue the business at the old stand next door south of Starr's confectionery establishment. Mr. Tillery is an old-time resident of Independence, and is a progressive and worthy citizen, in whom the greatest confidence may be imposed. He came to Corvallis for educational reasons, but has taken a liking to the place, and his determination to engage in business is the consequence. —Corvallis Gazette.

Diarrhoea Cured.

"My father has for years been troubled with diarrhoea, and tried every means possible to effect a cure, without avail," writes John H. Zirkle of Philippi, W. Va. "He saw Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy advertised in the Philippi Republican and decided to try it. The result is one bottle cured him and he has not suffered with the disease for eighteen months. Before taking this remedy he was a constant sufferer. He is now sound and well, and although sixty years old, can do as much work as a young man." Sold by P. M. Kirkland.

MANY TEACHERS CONTEST

The work of grading the papers of those who took examination at Dallas last week is still in progress. The teachers who passed the examination are as follows:

FIRST GRADE

Adrin Owen, Falls City; Lorence C. Mallory, Falls City; Maude C. Harte, Falls City; Lida Campbell, Falls City; Mrs. F. H. Morrison, Dallas; Lena May Stangle, Dayton; Della Hudson, Milton; Elsie A. White, Salem.

SECOND GRADE

Edna Morrison, Dallas; James Bruce, Dallas; Emma Aebe, Dallas; Richard W. Long, Salem; Ida May Duignan, Perrydale; Mart Brewster, Monmouth; Bertha C. Miles, Rickreall; Marcia Romig, McCoy; Wallace C. Kellog, Falls City; Clara E. Moore, Dayton; Alta P. White, Salem; Jessie A. Harritt, Salem; Minnie D. Norwood, Salem.

THIRD GRADE

Anna Krutz, Dallas; Nola E. Coad, Dallas; Mrs. M. D. Calvin, Amity; Almata J. Fuller, Dallas; Hattie P. Jennings, Perrydale; Ernest Jewell, Falls City; Hilda Peterson, Mist; Miss F. O. Mozer, Black Rock; T. B. Arrant, Monmouth; Alta Odell, Lentz; Ruth D. Wood, Hoodriver; Ruth E. Beaver, Salem; Alys Norwood, Salem.

There were fourteen papers sent out to other counties to be graded. About fifty teachers took the examination for state papers. These papers were sent to Salem to be acted on.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

All accounts due the firm of Messner, Conkey & Walker are due and payable to W. A. Messner. All parties owing said firm will please call and make settlement at once by cash or note. Settlements may be made at the store with Conkey, Walker & Lehman or at the First State Bank. 9-10 W. A. MESSNER.

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